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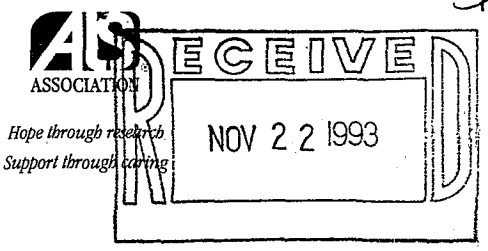

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To: ALS Scientists & Potential Research Applicants

The ALS Association is now receiving abstracts for research grants to be awarded in 1994. This request encompasses both basic and clinical investigations (but not clinical trials of therapy) of sporadic and familial ALS including, but not limited to, the role of free radicals in the process of motor neuron cell death.

The Association will support both multi-year grants and one-year starter grants. You may apply by submitting a one page abstract, in triplicate, describing the proposed project, by January 31, 1994.

The abstract should contain the following:

1. Title of project;
2. Nature of project, including its specific aim and its relevance to ALS;
3. Length of time estimated for the project;
4. Amount of funding requested for the total project and on an annual basis.

The abstract will be reviewed as to whether a formal application should be filed. Application materials and instructions will be sent with the invitation to submit an application. This does not imply the proposal will be funded. All applications will be peer-reviewed by a Scientific Review Committee and scored on NIH standards for both scientific merit and relevance to ALS.

The deadline for receiving the formal application is May 2, 1994. Announcements of awards will be made in July of 1994, with funding to commence August 1, 1994.

If you have any questions regarding this call for research proposals, please write or call The ALS Association.

Very truly yours,

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